

## Congressman Rothman, Governor Corzine Work on Economic Stimulus Package

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(Washington, DC) &ndash; On December 11, 2008, Congressman Steve Rothman (D-Fair Lawn), a veteran member of the House Appropriations Committee, questioned Governor Jon Corzine during an Appropriations Committee hearing during which the Governor testified about the impact of the current economic crisis on New Jersey. They agreed that any economic stimulus package passed under soon-to-be President Obama would need to be large enough to include significant aid to states, tax cuts for the middle class and small businesses, as well as a large infrastructure component, including the proposed ARC tunnel for rail traffic under the Hudson river, school repairs and construction, and affordable housing, among many other items.

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